

LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

CPS BENCHMARK: 2006

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EMPLOYMENT BENCHMARK: 2006

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<u>AREA</u>	<u>LABOR FORCE</u>	<u>EMPLOYED</u>	<u>UNEMPLOYED</u>	<u>RATE</u>	Seasonally Adjusted <u>RATE</u>
U.S.					
February 2007	151,879,000	144,479,000	7,400,000	4.9	4.5
January 2007	151,924,000	144,275,000	7,649,000	5.0	4.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	149,686,000	141,994,000	7,692,000	5.1	4.8
INDIANA					
February 2007	3,246,027	3,073,092	172,935	5.3	4.7
January 2007	3,266,011	3,078,156	187,855	5.8	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	3,229,284	3,042,823	186,461	5.8	5.1
<u>METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS</u>					
ANDERSON MSA					
February 2007	62,402	57,798	4,604	7.4	
January 2007	62,785	57,825	4,960	7.9	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	63,211	58,635	4,576	7.2	
BLOOMINGTON MSA					
February 2007	97,763	92,965	4,798	4.9	
January 2007	96,974	91,923	5,051	5.2	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	97,641	92,248	5,393	5.5	
COLUMBUS MSA					
February 2007	39,029	37,249	1,780	4.6	
January 2007	38,690	36,801	1,889	4.9	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	38,011	36,048	1,963	5.2	
ELKHART-GOSHEN MSA					
February 2007	103,554	98,313	5,241	5.1	
January 2007	104,668	98,280	6,388	6.1	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	104,426	99,480	4,946	4.7	
EVANSVILLE MSA					
February 2007	185,527	175,755	9,772	5.3	
January 2007	186,026	175,786	10,240	5.5	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	182,808	172,988	9,820	5.4	
FORT WAYNE MSA					
February 2007	216,227	205,009	11,218	5.2	
January 2007	218,321	206,165	12,156	5.6	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	213,914	200,839	13,075	6.1	
GARY					
February 2007	334,962	315,331	19,631	5.9	
January 2007	337,565	316,204	21,361	6.3	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	332,256	311,793	20,463	6.2	
INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL MSA					
February 2007	894,911	854,609	40,302	4.5	
January 2007	899,246	855,722	43,524	4.8	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	884,642	840,429	44,213	5.0	
KOKOMO MSA					
February 2007	46,641	43,771	2,870	6.2	
January 2007	47,326	44,103	3,223	6.8	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	47,069	43,606	3,463	7.4	
LAFAYETTE MSA					
February 2007	96,819	92,442	4,377	4.5	
January 2007	97,023	92,312	4,711	4.9	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	96,901	91,984	4,917	5.1	
MICHIGAN CITY MSA					
February 2007	53,500	50,113	3,387	6.3	
January 2007	53,626	50,012	3,614	6.7	
February 2006 (Benchmark)	53,464	49,718	3,746	7.0	

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MUNCIE MSA				
February 2007	57,037	53,539	3,498	6.1
January 2007	56,844	53,064	3,780	6.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	57,801	53,736	4,065	7.0
SOUTH BEND MSA				
February 2007	163,525	154,515	9,010	5.5
January 2007	163,287	153,249	10,038	6.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	162,628	153,266	9,362	5.8
TERRE HAUTE MSA				
February 2007	81,918	76,675	5,243	6.4
January 2007	81,966	76,405	5,561	6.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	81,067	75,250	5,817	7.2
<u>COUNTIES</u>				
ADAMS				
February 2007	16,234	15,444	790	4.9
January 2007	16,484	15,678	806	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	16,239	15,388	851	5.2
ALLEN (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
February 2007	182,881	173,372	9,509	5.2
January 2007	184,628	174,350	10,278	5.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	180,930	169,845	11,085	6.1
BARTHOLOMEW (COLUMBUS MSA)				
February 2007	39,029	37,249	1,780	4.6
January 2007	38,690	36,801	1,889	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	38,011	36,048	1,963	5.2
BENTON (LAFAYETTE MSA)				
February 2007	4,745	4,482	263	5.5
January 2007	4,756	4,476	280	5.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	4,748	4,460	288	6.1
BLACKFORD				
February 2007	6,746	6,285	461	6.8
January 2007	6,872	6,349	523	7.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	6,825	6,297	528	7.7
BOONE (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	27,869	26,677	1,192	4.3
January 2007	27,980	26,712	1,268	4.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	27,493	26,235	1,258	4.6
BROWN (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	8,268	7,729	539	6.5
January 2007	8,306	7,739	567	6.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	8,165	7,600	565	6.9
CARROLL (LAFAYETTE MSA)				
February 2007	10,768	10,255	513	4.8
January 2007	10,789	10,241	548	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	10,838	10,204	634	5.8
CASS				
February 2007	18,587	17,461	1,126	6.1
January 2007	18,668	17,493	1,175	6.3
February 2006 (Benchmark)	19,110	17,888	1,222	6.4
CLARK (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	55,153	52,429	2,724	4.9
January 2007	55,541	52,633	2,908	5.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	54,065	51,110	2,955	5.5
CLAY (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
February 2007	13,585	12,654	931	6.9
January 2007	13,638	12,610	1,028	7.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	13,256	12,419	837	6.3
CLINTON				
February 2007	16,947	15,980	967	5.7
January 2007	17,168	16,122	1,046	6.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,054	16,034	1,020	6.0

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CRAWFORD				
February 2007	5,320	4,853	467	8.8
January 2007	5,413	4,910	503	9.3
February 2006 (Benchmark)	5,351	4,818	533	10.0
DAVIESS				
February 2007	15,214	14,632	582	3.8
January 2007	15,321	14,701	620	4.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,105	14,446	659	4.4
DEARBORN (CINCINNATI MSA)				
February 2007	26,717	25,191	1,526	5.7
January 2007	26,639	25,087	1,552	5.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	26,575	25,024	1,551	5.8
DECATUR				
February 2007	12,518	11,844	674	5.4
January 2007	12,651	11,933	718	5.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	12,524	11,851	673	5.4
DEKALB				
February 2007	21,377	20,035	1,342	6.3
January 2007	21,693	20,127	1,566	7.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	21,604	20,088	1,516	7.0
DELAWARE (MUNCIE MSA)				
February 2007	57,037	53,539	3,498	6.1
January 2007	56,844	53,064	3,780	6.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	57,801	53,736	4,065	7.0
DUBOIS				
February 2007	22,290	21,376	914	4.1
January 2007	22,571	21,713	858	3.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	22,270	21,294	976	4.4
ELKHART (ELKHART-GOSHEN)				
February 2007	103,554	98,313	5,241	5.1
January 2007	104,668	98,280	6,388	6.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	104,426	99,480	4,946	4.7
FAYETTE				
February 2007	10,631	9,790	841	7.9
January 2007	10,854	9,880	974	9.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	11,180	10,232	948	8.5
FLOYD (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	38,692	36,834	1,858	4.8
January 2007	38,885	36,977	1,908	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	37,930	35,907	2,023	5.3
FOUNTAIN				
February 2007	8,707	8,269	438	5.0
January 2007	8,837	8,341	496	5.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	8,707	8,212	495	5.7
FRANKLIN (CINCINNATI MSA)				
February 2007	12,311	11,403	908	7.4
January 2007	12,214	11,356	858	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	12,181	11,327	854	7.0
FULTON				
February 2007	10,121	9,504	617	6.1
January 2007	10,413	9,696	717	6.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	10,493	9,841	652	6.2
GIBSON (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	17,540	16,666	874	5.0
January 2007	17,581	16,668	913	5.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,280	16,422	858	5.0
GRANT				
February 2007	33,358	31,024	2,334	7.0
January 2007	33,975	31,362	2,613	7.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	33,721	31,103	2,618	7.8

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GREENE (BLOOMINGTON MSA)				
February 2007	17,168	16,118	1,050	6.1
January 2007	17,019	15,937	1,082	6.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,200	15,993	1,207	7.0
HAMILTON (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	133,600	129,138	4,462	3.3
January 2007	134,178	129,306	4,872	3.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	131,893	126,996	4,897	3.7
HANCOCK (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	35,361	33,730	1,631	4.6
January 2007	35,441	33,774	1,667	4.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	34,792	33,170	1,622	4.7
HARRISON (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	20,190	19,059	1,131	5.6
January 2007	20,328	19,133	1,195	5.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	19,823	18,579	1,244	6.3
HENDRICKS (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	70,912	68,198	2,714	3.8
January 2007	71,115	68,287	2,828	4.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	69,991	67,067	2,924	4.2
HENRY				
February 2007	22,879	21,409	1,470	6.4
January 2007	23,349	21,694	1,655	7.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	23,014	21,434	1,580	6.9
HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)				
February 2007	38,611	36,235	2,376	6.2
January 2007	39,247	36,510	2,737	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	39,056	36,098	2,958	7.6
HUNTINGTON				
February 2007	20,721	19,570	1,151	5.6
January 2007	20,939	19,638	1,301	6.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	21,045	19,592	1,453	6.9
JACKSON				
February 2007	22,351	21,304	1,047	4.7
January 2007	22,484	21,373	1,111	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	21,972	20,889	1,083	4.9
JASPER (GARY)				
February 2007	15,691	14,615	1,076	6.9
January 2007	15,710	14,655	1,055	6.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,495	14,451	1,044	6.7
JAY				
February 2007	11,715	11,103	612	5.2
January 2007	11,780	11,130	650	5.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	11,632	10,989	643	5.5
JEFFERSON				
February 2007	17,422	16,497	925	5.3
January 2007	17,566	16,563	1,003	5.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,435	16,500	935	5.4
JENNINGS				
February 2007	13,759	12,805	954	6.9
January 2007	13,757	12,782	975	7.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	13,775	12,787	988	7.2
JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	71,569	68,588	2,981	4.2
January 2007	71,955	68,677	3,278	4.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	70,590	67,450	3,140	4.4
KNOX				
February 2007	19,280	18,370	910	4.7
January 2007	19,499	18,511	988	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	19,210	18,147	1,063	5.5

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KOSCIUSKO				
February 2007	41,935	39,711	2,224	5.3
January 2007	42,413	39,807	2,606	6.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	41,912	39,881	2,031	4.8
LAGRANGE				
February 2007	17,078	16,174	904	5.3
January 2007	17,434	16,207	1,227	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,281	16,356	925	5.4
LAKE (GARY)				
February 2007	229,260	215,274	13,986	6.1
January 2007	231,391	215,870	15,521	6.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	227,346	212,859	14,487	6.4
LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY MSA)				
February 2007	53,500	50,113	3,387	6.3
January 2007	53,626	50,012	3,614	6.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	53,464	49,718	3,746	7.0
LAWRENCE				
February 2007	23,532	21,649	1,883	8.0
January 2007	23,600	21,571	2,029	8.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	23,051	21,219	1,832	7.9
MADISON (ANDERSON MSA)				
February 2007	62,402	57,798	4,604	7.4
January 2007	62,785	57,825	4,960	7.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	63,211	58,635	4,576	7.2
MARION (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	466,595	444,315	22,280	4.8
January 2007	469,125	444,894	24,231	5.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	462,178	436,943	25,235	5.5
MARSHALL				
February 2007	22,705	21,317	1,388	6.1
January 2007	23,096	21,470	1,626	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	22,629	21,330	1,299	5.7
MARTIN				
February 2007	5,255	4,991	264	5.0
January 2007	5,332	5,057	275	5.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	5,310	4,986	324	6.1
MIAMI				
February 2007	17,145	16,048	1,097	6.4
January 2007	17,313	16,113	1,200	6.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,148	15,992	1,156	6.7
MONROE (BLOOMINGTON MSA)				
February 2007	68,468	65,471	2,997	4.4
January 2007	67,924	64,737	3,187	4.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	68,367	64,966	3,401	5.0
MONTGOMERY				
February 2007	19,605	18,752	853	4.4
January 2007	19,986	19,054	932	4.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	19,693	18,744	949	4.8
MORGAN (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	38,249	36,197	2,052	5.4
January 2007	38,358	36,244	2,114	5.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	37,733	35,596	2,137	5.7
NEWTON (GARY)				
February 2007	7,299	6,821	478	6.5
January 2007	7,351	6,840	511	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	7,177	6,745	432	6.0
NOBLE				
February 2007	23,326	21,906	1,420	6.1
January 2007	23,671	21,920	1,751	7.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	23,495	21,870	1,625	6.9

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OHIO (CINCINNATI MSA)				
February 2007	3,190	3,017	173	5.4
January 2007	3,191	3,005	186	5.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	3,188	2,997	191	6.0
ORANGE				
February 2007	9,438	8,739	699	7.4
January 2007	9,617	8,881	736	7.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	9,555	8,702	853	8.9
OWEN (BLOOMINGTON MSA)				
February 2007	12,129	11,377	752	6.2
January 2007	12,031	11,249	782	6.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	12,074	11,289	785	6.5
PARKE				
February 2007	7,789	7,280	509	6.5
January 2007	7,867	7,323	544	6.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	7,780	7,234	546	7.0
PERRY				
February 2007	9,786	9,229	557	5.7
January 2007	9,842	9,247	595	6.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	9,733	9,106	627	6.4
PIKE				
February 2007	6,140	5,849	291	4.7
January 2007	6,266	5,941	325	5.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	6,146	5,826	320	5.2
PORTER (GARY)				
February 2007	82,711	78,620	4,091	4.9
January 2007	83,111	78,838	4,273	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	82,238	77,738	4,500	5.5
POSEY (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	14,055	13,366	689	4.9
January 2007	14,085	13,368	717	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	13,868	13,171	697	5.0
PULASKI				
February 2007	6,736	6,390	346	5.1
January 2007	6,925	6,553	372	5.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	6,781	6,390	391	5.8
PUTNAM (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	18,186	17,012	1,174	6.5
January 2007	18,422	17,035	1,387	7.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,814	16,730	1,084	6.1
RANDOLPH				
February 2007	12,731	11,738	993	7.8
January 2007	12,894	11,927	967	7.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	12,925	11,805	1,120	8.7
RIPLEY				
February 2007	14,104	13,302	802	5.7
January 2007	14,133	13,280	853	6.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	14,334	13,520	814	5.7
RUSH				
February 2007	9,390	8,903	487	5.2
January 2007	9,613	9,080	533	5.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	9,429	8,907	522	5.5
SAINT JOSEPH (SOUTH BEND MSA)				
February 2007	135,836	128,277	7,559	5.6
January 2007	135,477	127,109	8,368	6.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	134,642	126,960	7,682	5.7
SCOTT				
February 2007	11,420	10,720	700	6.1
January 2007	11,595	10,808	787	6.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	11,455	10,647	808	7.1

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SHELBY (INDIANAPOLIS MSA)				
February 2007	24,303	23,025	1,278	5.3
January 2007	24,367	23,055	1,312	5.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	23,993	22,643	1,350	5.6
SPENCER				
February 2007	10,352	9,792	560	5.4
January 2007	10,524	9,947	577	5.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	10,457	9,794	663	6.3
STARKE				
February 2007	10,514	9,704	810	7.7
January 2007	10,632	9,808	824	7.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	10,593	9,743	850	8.0
STEUBEN				
February 2007	16,215	15,000	1,215	7.5
January 2007	16,352	15,033	1,319	8.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	16,586	15,372	1,214	7.3
SULLIVAN (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
February 2007	9,373	8,790	583	6.2
January 2007	9,362	8,759	603	6.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	9,333	8,627	706	7.6
SWITZERLAND				
February 2007	5,590	5,359	231	4.1
January 2007	5,693	5,438	255	4.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	5,640	5,359	281	5.0
TIPPECANOE (LAFAYETTE MSA)				
February 2007	81,306	77,705	3,601	4.4
January 2007	81,478	77,595	3,883	4.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	81,315	77,320	3,995	4.9
TIPTON (KOKOMO MSA)				
February 2007	8,030	7,536	494	6.2
January 2007	8,079	7,593	486	6.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	8,013	7,508	505	6.3
UNION				
February 2007	3,762	3,547	215	5.7
January 2007	3,833	3,596	237	6.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	3,872	3,611	261	6.7
VANDERBURGH (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	92,807	87,801	5,006	5.4
January 2007	93,124	87,813	5,311	5.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	91,410	86,519	4,891	5.4
VERMILLION (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
February 2007	8,315	7,694	621	7.5
January 2007	8,329	7,667	662	7.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	8,207	7,551	656	8.0
VIGO (TERRE HAUTE MSA)				
February 2007	50,645	47,536	3,109	6.1
January 2007	50,636	47,368	3,268	6.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	50,269	46,652	3,617	7.2
WABASH				
February 2007	17,602	16,651	951	5.4
January 2007	17,854	16,743	1,111	6.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,520	16,402	1,118	6.4
WARREN				
February 2007	4,760	4,560	200	4.2
January 2007	4,798	4,578	220	4.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	4,843	4,601	242	5.0
WARRICK (EVANSVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	30,988	29,557	1,431	4.6
January 2007	31,057	29,561	1,496	4.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	30,612	29,126	1,486	4.9

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WASHINGTON (LOUISVILLE MSA)				
February 2007	14,647	13,628	1,019	7.0
January 2007	14,657	13,681	976	6.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	14,325	13,285	1,040	7.3
WAYNE				
February 2007	34,300	32,131	2,169	6.3
January 2007	34,875	32,519	2,356	6.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	34,658	32,300	2,358	6.8
WELLS (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
February 2007	15,231	14,473	758	5.0
January 2007	15,384	14,554	830	5.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,098	14,178	920	6.1
WHITE				
February 2007	11,749	11,051	698	5.9
January 2007	11,748	11,053	695	5.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	11,893	11,103	790	6.6
WHITLEY (FORT WAYNE MSA)				
February 2007	18,115	17,164	951	5.2
January 2007	18,309	17,261	1,048	5.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,885	16,815	1,070	6.0
<u>CITIES (Population over 25,000)</u>				
ANDERSON CITY				
February 2007	26,979	24,776	2,203	8.2
January 2007	27,205	24,787	2,418	8.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	27,236	25,135	2,101	7.7
BLOOMINGTON CITY				
February 2007	37,421	36,049	1,372	3.7
January 2007	37,112	35,645	1,467	4.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	37,362	35,771	1,591	4.3
CARMEL CITY				
February 2007	31,196	30,439	757	2.4
January 2007	31,332	30,478	854	2.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	30,828	29,934	894	2.9
COLUMBUS CITY				
February 2007	20,242	19,312	930	4.6
January 2007	20,065	19,080	985	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	19,689	18,690	999	5.1
EAST CHICAGO CITY				
February 2007	10,556	9,780	776	7.4
January 2007	10,759	9,807	952	8.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	10,576	9,670	906	8.6
ELKHART CITY				
February 2007	26,449	24,758	1,691	6.4
January 2007	26,784	24,749	2,035	7.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	26,653	25,051	1,602	6.0
EVANSVILLE CITY				
February 2007	60,339	56,663	3,676	6.1
January 2007	60,621	56,671	3,950	6.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	59,361	55,836	3,525	5.9
FISHERS TOWN				
February 2007	34,804	33,941	863	2.5
January 2007	34,946	33,985	961	2.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	34,427	33,378	1,049	3.0
FORT WAYNE CITY				
February 2007	115,885	109,567	6,318	5.5
January 2007	117,064	110,185	6,879	5.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	114,502	107,338	7,164	6.3
GARY CITY				
February 2007	36,353	33,908	2,445	6.7
January 2007	36,833	34,002	2,831	7.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	36,321	33,527	2,794	7.7

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GOSHEN CITY				
February 2007	16,183	15,372	811	5.0
January 2007	16,389	15,367	1,022	6.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	16,276	15,555	721	4.4
GREENWOOD CITY				
February 2007	24,279	23,244	1,035	4.3
January 2007	24,394	23,274	1,120	4.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	23,940	22,858	1,082	4.5
HAMMOND CITY				
February 2007	34,985	32,441	2,544	7.3
January 2007	35,380	32,531	2,849	8.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	34,647	32,077	2,570	7.4
HOBART CITY				
February 2007	14,170	13,223	947	6.7
January 2007	14,295	13,260	1,035	7.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	13,988	13,075	913	6.5
INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CONS)				
February 2007	428,164	407,793	20,371	4.8
January 2007	430,486	408,324	22,162	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	424,117	401,027	23,090	5.4
INDIANAPOLIS CITY (CORE)				
February 2007	422,977	402,993	19,984	4.7
January 2007	425,264	403,519	21,745	5.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	418,953	396,307	22,646	5.4
JEFFERSONVILLE CITY				
February 2007	15,378	14,624	754	4.9
January 2007	15,498	14,681	817	5.3
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,046	14,256	790	5.3
KOKOMO CITY				
February 2007	20,914	19,386	1,528	7.3
January 2007	21,320	19,533	1,787	8.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	21,240	19,313	1,927	9.1
LAFAYETTE CITY				
February 2007	33,655	31,991	1,664	4.9
January 2007	33,770	31,946	1,824	5.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	33,647	31,833	1,814	5.4
LAWRENCE TOWN				
February 2007	23,119	22,157	962	4.2
January 2007	23,254	22,186	1,068	4.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	22,885	21,789	1,096	4.8
MARION CITY				
February 2007	13,259	12,239	1,020	7.7
January 2007	13,521	12,372	1,149	8.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	13,457	12,270	1,187	8.8
MERRILLVILLE TOWN				
February 2007	16,508	15,507	1,001	6.1
January 2007	16,693	15,550	1,143	6.8
February 2006 (Benchmark)	16,298	15,333	965	5.9
MICHIGAN CITY CITY				
February 2007	14,598	13,625	973	6.7
January 2007	14,645	13,597	1,048	7.2
February 2006 (Benchmark)	14,667	13,517	1,150	7.8
MISHAWAKA CITY				
February 2007	26,806	25,273	1,533	5.7
January 2007	26,762	25,043	1,719	6.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	26,454	25,014	1,440	5.4
MUNCIE CITY				
February 2007	31,471	29,413	2,058	6.5
January 2007	31,373	29,152	2,221	7.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	31,884	29,521	2,363	7.4
NEW ALBANY CITY				
February 2007	18,806	17,810	996	5.3
January 2007	18,930	17,879	1,051	5.6
February 2006 (Benchmark)	18,521	17,362	1,159	6.3

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NOBLESVILLE CITY				
February 2007	21,540	20,658	882	4.1
January 2007	21,644	20,685	959	4.4
February 2006 (Benchmark)	21,383	20,316	1,067	5.0
PORTAGE CITY				
February 2007	18,003	16,988	1,015	5.6
January 2007	18,138	17,035	1,103	6.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,926	16,798	1,128	6.3
RICHMOND CITY				
February 2007	17,727	16,586	1,141	6.4
January 2007	18,044	16,786	1,258	7.0
February 2006 (Benchmark)	17,893	16,673	1,220	6.8
SCHERERVILLE TOWN				
February 2007	15,899	15,225	674	4.2
January 2007	15,985	15,267	718	4.5
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,778	15,054	724	4.6
SOUTH BEND CITY				
February 2007	49,116	46,078	3,038	6.2
January 2007	49,151	45,658	3,493	7.1
February 2006 (Benchmark)	48,779	45,605	3,174	6.5
TERRE HAUTE CITY				
February 2007	26,591	24,906	1,685	6.3
January 2007	26,645	24,818	1,827	6.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	26,521	24,442	2,079	7.8
VALPARAISO CITY				
February 2007	15,275	14,581	694	4.5
January 2007	15,370	14,621	749	4.9
February 2006 (Benchmark)	15,190	14,417	773	5.1
WEST LAFAYETTE CITY				
February 2007	14,143	13,673	470	3.3
January 2007	14,174	13,654	520	3.7
February 2006 (Benchmark)	14,196	13,605	591	4.2

NOTES: 1) UNEMPLOYMENT RATES ARE COMPUTED FROM UNROUNDED DATA.

2) COUNTY DATA MAY NOT ADD TO TOTALS DUE TO ROUNDING.

3) ESTIMATES FOR THE LATEST YEAR ARE SUBJECT TO REVISION EARLY THE FOLLOWING CALENDAR YEAR.

*Starting with January 2005 data, new MSA definitions are used. These will be revised back to 2000

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